



### Inspection Report

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Marty Clinton  
RR 1 Box 640  
Vanzant, MO 65768

Customer ID: **506118**  
Certificate: **43-A-6452**  
Site: 001  
MARTY CLINTON

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION  
Date: 14-DEC-2022

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#### 2.40(b)(2)

##### Attending veterinarian and adequate veterinary care (dealers and exhibitors).

Two adult miniature Poodles (red male, microchip #990000008179747) and (black female, microchip# 900085001245099) have matted hair on their belly, hindquarters, chest and feet. The matted hair is twisted and wet and is trapping wood shavings in the hair. Matted hair can trap dirt, debris, and moisture and cause pain and discomfort. It can foster skin infections and hinder the animal's ability to move or defecate normally. Matted hair does not maintain the same insulating qualities of normally groomed hair. The licensee must remove all matted hair and establish an effective program for coat maintenance for the health and well-being of the dog.

There are 2 medications in the cabinet in the whelp house that are expired. A 100 ml bottle of Dexamethasone injectable expired on 6/2022 and a bottle of injectable Vitamin B expired 11/2022. They were stored with other medications that are in use and could also be used. Expired medications can change to lose effectiveness and use of the expired medication may result in inadequate dosing or harmful effects. Expired medications must be removed from the kennel to prevent their use.

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#### 2.40(b)(3) Direct

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A male Chihuahua puppy (M-261-22, DOB 11/1/2022) was in an enclosure with 2 litter mates and their dam. This puppy was in very poor condition, almost nonresponsive to the littermate trying to play with him. His hair coat was rough and he was about half the size of his littermates. One litter mate tugged on his ear and the owner was instructed to remove the puppy from the enclosure. The licensee was called during the inspection to gather information about any diagnosis and treatment. He stated that he had called the veterinarian a couple days ago and was instructed to give the puppy milk and syrup. This treatment was not effective but the licensee did not contact the veterinarian for further evaluation and a proper diagnosis and treatment plan. There was no medical record of the puppy's illness and treatment. The puppy was placed in a separate enclosure with a heat lamp.

Failure to correctly communicate issues of abnormal animal health or lack of response to instructed treatment to the attending veterinarian in a timely manner, is not adequate veterinary care. Without adequate veterinary care, an animal's condition may worsen, and if infectious, can spread to other individuals. Correct by ensuring that animals and conditions are reported to the attending veterinarian so that the animals can be properly examined, diagnosed, and treated. The license must communicate accurately and timely to the veterinarian any problems of animal health, behavior, and well being.

CORRECT FROM THIS DAY FORWARD

**3.1(e)**

**Housing facilities, general.**

There were 2 plastic garbage containers filled with shavings for bedding material. The containers did not have lids on them and they could not be found. Bedding material can become contaminated from mice, insects and other pests or become wet and spoiled. When that happens, it will no longer be adequate bedding material for the dogs. To prevent this, all open bags of bedding material must be stored in a leakproof container with a tightly fitting lid.

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This inspection and exit interview were conducted with facility representatives.

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### Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
506118	43-A-6452	001	MARTY CLINTON	14-DEC-2022

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000123	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOG ADULT
000068	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOG PUPPY
000191	<b>Total</b>	